

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Christopher M. LaFata Attorney Docket No. BING-1-1035

Serial No.:

(Pending)

Group Art Unit:

Filing Date: October 31, 2003

Examiner:

Title:

FRIENDLY FIRE PREVENTION SYSTEMS AND METHODS

TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION

Enclosed with this transmittal letter are the following papers:

- 1. Application comprising 18 pages of written description and 4 drawing sheets.
- Check No. <u>9438</u> in the amount of \$1,022 (\$770 filing fee, \$252 additional 2. claims).
- 3. Executed original Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney in Patent Application.
- 4. Executed original Assignment and Assignment Recordation Sheet.
- Check No. <u>9429</u> in the amount of \$40 (recordation fee). 5.
- 6. Return postcard.

Respectfully submitted,

BLACK LOWE & GRAHAMPLLC

Michael S. Smith Registration No. 39,563

Direct Dial: 206.749.9888

EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE

I hereby certify that this communication is being deposited with the United States Postal Service via Express Mail No. EL962632642US under 37 C.F.R. § 1.10 on the date indicated below addressed to: MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

BLACK LOWE & GRAHAM

25315 PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE

BING-1-1035TL01

- 1 -

701 Fifth Avenue, Suite 4800 Seattle, Washington 98104 206 381 3300 • F. 206 381 3301